

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
66376-252-7

In Re Application Of: **BERGER, Hans et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/854,560	5/15/2001	LANEAU, Ronald	25269	3627	8137

Invention: **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MGMT. OF OPERATING MATERIALS AND/OR SUPPLIES OF AN ANALYZER OR ANALYZING SYSTEM**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 11/30/2005 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

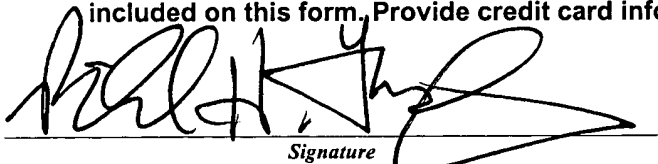
☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 2/28/2006 until: 4/28/2006  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$450 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-2223  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-2223  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

  
*Signature*

Dated: 4/24/2006

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